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Applicant: **Jean M. MCMANUS**

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Title: **METHODS, APPARATUS AND DATA STRUCTURES FOR IMPOSING A  
POLICY OR POLICIES ON THE SELECTION OF A LINE BY A NUMBER  
OF TERMINALS IN A NETWORK**

Examiner: **Anita Choudhary**

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**REQUEST FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

In response to the final Office Action dated **February 19, 2004** (Paper No. 8), which set a period for response to expire on May 19, 2004, please extend that period three-months to expire on August 19, 2004. The Patent Office is authorized to charge said fee of \$840.00 (\$950.00 - \$110.00 previously paid) to the deposit account of Verizon Corporate Services Inc., deposit account number 07-2347.

Respectfully submitted,

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